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The British Columbian.

NEW WESTMINSTER, THURSDAY, MARCH 20.

The faith that justice is an eternal principle presiding over all human affairs, and sooner or later correcting all that violates its immutable laws, is a sentiment so reasonable and consolatory, that it has met with general acceptance among men. The tutored and philosophic mind embraces it, while the unsophisticated and untaught act upon it as by instinct. A comfort and encouragement to the good, and a terror and foreboding to the bad, it promises eventually to reward according to their deeds the children of light and the perverse and froward. The man of noble purpose, covered with the obloquy and reproaches of evil times and persons or political enemies, receives from this principle an assurance that the unjust verdicts recorded against him shall one day be reversed, and that his transitory shame shall close in undying glory. To the lover of crooked ways and dishonorable dealings, it turns the shouts of exultation into cries of execration. "Murder will out" is the legend suggestive of prowling assassins and whitewashed villains, while its silver counterpart is, "Truth shall stand tho' all things fall." Closely allied to this sentiment, and it might be said, proceeding from it, is that charity which makes the wise and dispassionate slow to decide on questions affecting the vital interests of their fellow creatures, and yet still more reluctant to do so where those upon whom sentence is about to be passed do not possess the power to defend themselves.

It is from these considerations, in connection with others, that the people of this Colony have exercised an unparalleled amount of long-suffering and meek forbearance towards the administration of Governor Douglas. Since '58 this Colony has been ruled by a Despot whose word is law, from which there is no appeal; who resides in a separate Colony, at present antagonistic to this; who has not a single interest in common with the people he rules; but on the contrary, to keep back our commercial advancement is to "feather his own nest" at Victoria. He keeps about him, as his advisers, men who are our avowed enemies—not secretly, but openly—men who, did they possess the power, would annihilate us, could they do so without interrupting the supply of gold from our mines upon which they depend for their existence. The most important and indispensable public works continue to be neglected, and trifled with, every appeal from the people being met by the stereotyped reply, "no funds." And yet we find our Governor, with the most astonishing prodigality, throwing a bait of a few thousand dollars to a favored Church to buy the good will of its Bishop, or handing over twelve thousand five hundred dollars to an American Steamship Company without receiving any value for the same, unless, indeed, we consider it in the light of a bribe to prevent the extension of the line to this port. The people of this Colony were not ignorant of the fact that the Governor did not possess the advantage either of experience or good counsel, and were willing to make great allowance and give him a fair trial, imputing much to his inexperience and evil counsellors, rather than to conscious neglect of the interests of this Colony and criminal favoritism to Victoria. But when we look back upon his administration during the past three years, it would require rather more charity than usually falls to the lot of men now-a-days to excuse him longer upon such grounds. Almost a stranger in the Colony, knowing as little and caring as much about our wants and our interests as his notorious back, Cary, he is luxuriating in Victoria, while this Colony is left a passive prey to her rapacious enemies. Are tenders invited for the performance of a mail service—they are received only to be consigned to the oblivion of the Colonial Secretary's Office. Tenders for constructing an important road are advertised for, and after a number of contractors have incurred the trouble and expense of estimating the work, they are kept for weeks, nay, months, in suspense, and submitted to a process of shuffling which would reflect disgrace upon any low pettifogger, only to learn that they have been fooled—that Government was either

not prepared to do the work, or else had no intention of doing it; and thus, learning wisdom from past experience, there is scarcely now to be found in the Colony a contractor possessing sufficient faith in the Government to incur the necessary expense of estimating upon a Government contract.

During the past three years, we have been languishing for lack of population—groaning for immigration. And now that it is almost within our eager grasp our hand drops paralyzed by our side, while our face is suffused with mortification and chagrin because we are conscious that we are unprepared for the large influx now close at hand—because that which has so long and earnestly been wished and prayed for as the greatest good, promises to prove a curse—a double curse to the Colony, and at the same time to the immigrant. Unless some rumor is more false than is her wont, we shall have an addition to our population of at least ten or twelve thousand souls! The question everybody asks—our consciences re-echoing the same—is, what shall we do with them? how shall we supply them with food and board? Like the man who drew an elephant at a lottery, we are sorely puzzled to know what to do with a population when we have it. It is true the Colony is large enough for them, and a thousand fold more; neither is there any lack of rich mines and excellent land. But if one-half of them should go to the mines we have neither the roads nor mules to keep them supplied with the necessities of life. And as to settling upon our rich agricultural lands, there is but a poor prospect. In the absence of any road policy or general survey, nobody knows where to go or what to do. The whole Colony is indeed before them; but a man does not fancy the idea of settling down in any particular locality without the most remote idea of the location of our main roads, chief towns, etc.

It would perhaps be unfair to lay all the blame at the door of the Governor—but that much of it must in justice fall to his share, is obvious. He had a practical lesson in '58, by which he should have profited; and in almost every subsequent issue of every paper published in either Colony has been plainly and faithfully admonished of his duty, and warned as to the inevitable result of the policy he has continued so persistently to pursue. But the same selfish and suicidal imbecility still continues to characterize his every act, and now disaster almost irretrievable stares us in the face, and can only be averted by both Government and people seizing with avidity every means within their reach, though at the eleventh hour. Let not His Excellency fancy that he can screen himself behind miserable subterfuge and pettifogging technicalities from the grave responsibilities which the exigency of this most important epoch in the history of British Columbia imposes upon him. Let him shake off this horrid nightmare, to whose baneful influence he has so long given way, and, throwing red-tape overboard, and Cary along with it, step forward like a man and co-operate with the people in their struggle to right and save the noble ship while yet they may.

We are possessed of a strong disposition to respect and honor the Representative of our beloved Queen as far as it is at all possible so to do; and it is in the discharge of a painful duty that we write thus plainly and boldly upon this subject. The personal feelings of an individual, however, are entitled to but small consideration when they happen to be placed in the scale against the interests of British Columbia, even if that individual should happen to hold Her Majesty's commission; and when we say that the administration of Mr. Douglas has proved an impracticable abortion, and an unmitigated curse to this Colony, we but give form to the convictions of every unbiassed and intelligent British Columbian.

THEY BEGIN TO COME.

Immigration has now set in to our shores. A large proportion of those arriving are from Canada—of all men the best calculated to take possession of, and subdue this new country. Colonel Moody, R. E., received a communication last week from Mr. Booker, British Consul in San Francisco, advising him of the arrival in that city of a party of 200 Canadians, all bound to this Colony, and very thoughtfully suggested preparation for the arrival of British subjects in such considerable numbers. From all parts of Canada the cry is "Cariboo," and there is every likelihood of our having a very large Canadian element in the Colony before midsummer.

As these immigrants are entitled to special attention from the fact that they are just the sort of population we want, and as they are arriving amongst us just about two months too early to go up to the diggings, it is of the greatest importance that as much work as possible should be thrown in the market in order to afford those who may desire it, an opportunity of spending the interim profitably to themselves as well as to the Colony. A requisition from the people was presented to the Council on Tuesday, asking that body to hold a special meeting as early as possible, for the purpose of negotiating with the Governor upon this important subject; the meeting takes place at

noon to-day, and we earnestly trust the matter will be arranged with less of red-tapeism than usually characterizes Governmental transactions.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

ECCLIESIASTICAL.—"Long looked for come at last." It affords us great pleasure to announce the arrival amongst us of the Rev. R. Jamieson, missionary to British Columbia under the auspices of the Canada Presbyterian Church. Most of our readers are probably aware that this Church now comprises the two bodies formerly designated the Presbyterian (or Free) Church of Canada and the United Presbyterian Church of Canada, formally united in June last under the above style, numbering upwards of three hundred ministers, and a very large membership. Mr. Jamieson, accompanied by his wife and two children, arrived at Victoria a few weeks ago, came up here by the steamer Otter on Thursday last, and, in the absence of Rev. E. White, by his kind request, occupied the Wesleyan Church on Sabbath. The house was filled both morning and evening, and the earnest and impressive appeals of the preacher were listened to with deep attention and general satisfaction. We understand it is the intention of this gentleman at once to set about organizing a Church and settling in this city. A deputation waited upon him on Saturday and presented an address of welcome signed by upwards of eighty Presbyterians. It would seem from the following passage that the Church in Canada have very properly chosen New Westminster as the centre of action: "Your Committee are of opinion that an effort should be made at once to occupy New Westminster, the capital of British Columbia, which is fast rising into importance, and where our influence would radiate throughout the entire surrounding country."

The "OVERLAND PRESS," a semi-weekly paper published at Olympia, W. T., comes to us in an enlarged and improved form, and we give it a hearty welcome to British Columbia, not only as a valuable news medium, but as an ally in the cause of liberalism. The issue of the 10th inst. contains an editorial upon the subject of direct trade with us, showing very clearly that to send their produce to this Colony, round by Victoria, is incurring a large and needless expense. It does not require very astute perceptive endowment to see that both British Columbia and the countries doing business with her, lose by having trade subjected to detention and a useless toll at Victoria. Our friends at Olympia begin to see the philosophy of the thing, and, unless we greatly mistake the commercial intelligence of the day, the position taken by them will ere long have general acceptance. The schooner General Harney, now employed in the direct trade just bursting into life between Olympia and this port, arrived here on Saturday last with a cargo of flour for Messrs. Cook & Kimball of Lytton, which having discharged in good condition she left on Sunday morning. Thus has been commenced a trade which will shortly attain very important proportions, and will in all probability lead to the early establishment of weekly steam communication between these points, to the great advantage of both.

FELONY DEED.—A man named Henry Maloney who arrived here last fall by the Bark Endeavor, was found dead in a cabin on Douglas street road, about a mile from this city on Friday last, under circumstances which led the Coroner's Jury to the conclusion that he came to his death by his own voluntary act. It would appear that he had held the muzzle of his rifle to his right temple with his left hand, pulling the trigger with the right, causing the bullet to pass through his head, resulting in instant death, and thus hurrying himself, unbidden, into the presence of his Judge. When found he was lying with one arm round the instrument of his death, and the right hand stretched out to the fatal trigger. He was a single man, about 35 years of age, of quiet, inoffensive habits, and no motive to the commission of the rash and dreadful act can be assigned, beyond mental depression.

OF DEEP PERCEPTION.—Our contemporary the *Colonist*, in his issue of the 17th inst., gets off a very clever piece of wit at our expense, wherein he charges us with inconsistency in stating some time ago that he was the author of coast routes, and subsequently saying that it was the policy of the Government which has hatched the coast route agitation. We opine, however, it is a very simple matter to reconcile what appears contradictory to the somewhat obtuse intellect of our Island contemporary. The Goose of the *Colonist* office brought forth the egg in question, and in that sense was its author; and the Government, as we stated last week, by their stick-in-the-mud policy hatched it, hence their responsibility also. But, apart from this, does not our contemporary know that people in this Colony believe the *Colonist* to be subsidized by the Government of Vancouver Island, consequently the two are not quite 180 degrees apart.

DEATH TO THE COAST ROUTE.—We have pleasure in announcing that terms have been agreed upon between the Government and Messrs. Wright & Co., by which that enterprising firm will immediately construct a road from Parsonville to Beaver Lake or Alexandria, and a steamer to connect therewith will be placed on the Fraser above that point with the least possible delay. It is indeed late to commence such a work, but better late than never. We shall be able to give more details in our next issue.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Tumors, scrofulous and glandular swellings, abscess. At this season of the year, while the temperature is so variable, such diseases are constantly presenting themselves in sanguine and feeble frames. All have placed within their reach the antidote to these dreadful scourges; which, at their commencement, may be readily checked and cured; but, when neglected, resist for a long time the most appropriate remedies. Holloway's Ointment rubbed on or near the afflicted parts, will thoroughly eradicate the cause of these maladies, and expel their seed from the system. Scrofula, and all kindred disorders disappear before the healing Ointment, and these purifying Pills, which cleanse and invigorate. For scrofula, in every shape, they are unfailing specifics.

Municipal Council.

Council met pursuant to adjournment, March 10, 1862. Members present, the President, Messrs. Cormack, Ross, Johnston, Drew and Holbrook. Minutes of last meeting read and approved, when the following resolutions were carried: That the Committee of Public Works repair the side walks on Columbia street. That owners of lots in the ten chains recently added to the city, be notified to have all timber cut down on or before the 10th May, otherwise they will be cut down by the Council. (This resolution was laid on the table for one week; may we express a hope it may not be allowed to lie there longer, as it is a good move, and ought to be carried through.—Ed.) Mr. Cormack gave notice that he would at the next meeting bring in a resolution for the completion of Mary street from Columbia street to the Royal Avenue. Mr. Ross gave notice that he would bring in a By-law for the prevention of fires. Mr. Holbrook gave notice that he would bring in a motion to grade Mary street, and make the street over the Gardens to the Hospital. Mr. Ross gave notice that he would bring forward specifications for grading Merivale street from Columbia to Agnes streets, all of which, we trust, will be carried through, as they are works of present utility, which is rather more than can be said in regard to some of the Municipal work lately done. A communication was ordered to be forwarded to the Governor upon the subject of the work on Ellice street, which it is to be hoped will not only receive His Excellency's attention, but be the means of bringing the *chickamen*, as there has been quite enough of shuffling about this trifling matter already.

R. E. METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATORY.

REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY, 1862.
New Westminster, B. C.
Inches.

The highest reading of the Barometer.....30.499 on the 9th.
The lowest.....29.189 " 21st.
Mean height.....29.975.
The element of the Barometer is about 54 feet above the level of the sea.
Minimum Temperature on the grass.....2° 0' on the 6th.
Mean Temperature of air in shade.....30° 4'.
There were 7 days on which rain or snow fell. The total amount measured (when thawed) 5.277 inches. It fell on 1 day when the wind was N. E.; 2 when E.; 2 when S. E. and 2 when calm.
The wind blew from the S. W. 4 days; W. 2; N. W. 1; N. 2; N. E. 2; E. 2. The remainder of the month was calm.
The quantity of Ozone varied from 0 to 10.
The Fraser river at New Westminster continued frozen over the whole of the month, the ice increasing in thickness until the 11th, when it measured 12 inches in the channel; on the 17th at the same place it had decreased to 8½ inches.
Observations made by
Corporal Leach, R. E. J. R. M. P.

ABSTRACT showing the minimum Temperature on the grass for each day during the month.

DATE.	TEMP.	DATE.	TEMP.
Feb. 1.....	5.3	Feb. 15.....	28.0
2.....	20.0	16.....	19.0
3.....	10.0	17.....	17.0
4.....	6.0	18.....	24.0
5.....	6.0	19.....	18.0
6.....	2.0	20.....	16.0
7.....	9.0	21.....	24.5
8.....	22.0	22.....	29.0
9.....	25.0	23.....	22.5
10.....	26.0	24.....	30.0
11.....	31.0	25.....	24.0
12.....	28.0	26.....	19.0
13.....	21.0	27.....	24.0
14.....	24.0	28.....	30.0

DOUGLAS SLOUGH FROM THE GREAT LAKE TO THE LITTLE LAKE.—The water is now lower in this slough than it has been known for the last four years, and with a comparatively trifling expense the slough could be cleared out, which, with a dam in the slough from the Lillooet river through which all the sand and sediment is discharged, would be sufficient to make good navigation through at all seasons. The Douglas people ask that this *seasonary* work may be at once proceeded with; and as another such opportunity may not again occur for years, and a fortnight's delay may prove fatal, it is to be hoped that Government will, for once, depart from their tardy red-tape policy.

SIR TIBI TERRA LEVIS.—We have to regret the loss of one more of our Royal Engineers, intelligent men we can but ill spare from amongst us. Robert Armstrong was from all accounts, one of the most clever of them, especially in the line of Surveyors, and was greatly beloved by all his comrades. He died on Sabbath morning, and was committed to his narrow home on Monday, on which occasion the deepest sympathy was manifested by all, including a large number of our citizens, who by their presence evinced their regard for the deceased.

DIVINE SERVICE.—The Rev. R. Jamieson, Presbyterian Missionary to British Columbia, will, by the kind permission of Mr. Brew, preach in the Court House at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M., on next and subsequent Sabbaths.

The Ste. Otter arrived from Victoria on Tuesday evening with one hundred and seventy-five tons freight, and seventy passengers, amongst whom were quite a sprinkling of Canadians.

MESSRS. HIBBEN & CARSWELL, of Victoria, have our thanks for a liberal supply of European and U. S. papers, also Mr. W. F. Herre for a similar favor.

A HIGHLAND PROCLAMATION.

The following has been sent to us as a Proclamation made at the Market Cross of Inverary last century:—

Ta hoy! To tither a-hoy! Ta hoy
Three time!!! an Ta-hoy—Whisht!!!
By command of his Majesty, King George,
an her Grace te Duke o' Argyll:
If any body is found fishing aboon te loch,
or below te loch, afore te loch, or ahint te loch,
in te loch, or on te loch, aroun te loch, or
about te loch,
She's to be presentit wi three persecutions;
First, she's to be burnt, syne she's to be drowned,
an then she's to be hangt—an if ever she come
back she's to be persecut wi a far waur death,
God save te King, an her Grace
te Duke o' Argyll!

THE STR. UNION is being overhauled and will be placed on the Douglas route next week, with a promise of sharp opposition.

THE GOV. DOUGLAS.—This fine steamer, which lost her wheel last season while making a trip up the river, was towed by the Otter from our harbor this morning, en route for Victoria, where she will undergo a thorough repair, preparatory to entering upon this season's operations.

STREET RAILWAYS.—We referred some time ago to the construction of these railways in the city of Toronto, Canada. We see by a late number of the *Leader* that the King Street passenger railway was opened from St. Lawrence Hall to the Lunatic Asylum on the 3d December last, when several experimental trips were made with great success.

CORRESPONDENCE.

THE LILLOOET DEBATING CLUB.

The Lillooet people have started a Debating Club for their mutual edification and amusement. The Club was formed on the 16th of January, and already numbers 27 members. They meet every Tuesday evening and discuss the topics of the day. The first meeting was taken up with the framing of the By-Laws, and the election of officers. The officers are, Mr. Elliott, J. P., President, Mr. Robinson, Vice President; Rev. R. L. Brown, Secretary, Mr. O'Brien, Assistant Secretary. On the 23d Jan., the President, Mr. Elliott, delivered an Introductory Address. The following are the topics discussed at the subsequent meetings: 1st, "Have the exertions of the Government in developing British Columbia been such as to deserve approbation?" Affirmative, Rev. R. L. Brown, Negative, Mr. Ritchie. After the Debate the question was put to meeting, when the affirmative was carried. At next meeting the Club discussed the question, "Ought the Colony of British Columbia to have Representative Institutions?" Mr. Hicks opened on the affirmative, Mr. Elliott on the negative side. The affirmative was carried. 3d, "Ought the suffrage in British Columbia to be universal?" Affirm. Mr. Hicks, neg. Mr. T. Venables. The negative side of the question was carried. 4th "Are the present mining regulations at Cariboo, respecting the size and number of the claims one man is entitled to hold likely to be prejudicial to the interests of the mining community?" Affirm. Mr. Robinson, neg. Mr. Black. As this is a question of great interest to miners we shall add a report of the arguments used on either side.

At a meeting of the Lillooet Debating Club last night the following question was debated. "Are the present mining regulations regarding the size and number of the claims at Cariboo, one man is entitled to hold likely to be prejudicial to the mining community?" In the affirmative it was argued that in Australia and California, where the mines are not nearly so rich, 30 feet, and even as low as 12 feet, are the size of the claims, and in both places the system has been found to work well, and meets the approbation of the miners. That if the claims at Cariboo were greatly reduced in size, many men who last season were seen wandering about the mines, claimless and poor, would have been sharing in the prosperity of those who monopolized all the paying creeks, and not only benefiting themselves, but also the many merchants and traders, in whose debt they now are very largely. It was thought at the same time that *Pioneers*, and those who have borne the first brunt of hardships and privations ought to be allowed to retain claims of the present size, and though in old, poor and worn-out diggings a larger scale was necessary, still in a new rich country 100 feet was far too much. With regard to the number of claims to be held by each person, it was said that if capitalists were allowed to step in and purchase claims the poor miner would soon be ruined; that wages would be driven down to a bare pittance, and poor but industrious men would be forced out of the country, all good claims being monopolized by capitalists, and wages giving them no more than a subsistence.

On the other hand it was argued that though on some few creeks, such as Williams Creek, 100 feet may be perhaps too large a claim, yet as a general rule a claim of that size was not more than sufficiently remunerative to induce men to go to any great expense in working it. On Goose Creek, Antler, Keithley's, Harveys and Lightning Creeks, for instance, all which are both difficult and expensive to work, it would not be worth men's while to spend valuable time and a considerable sum of money in fluming, sluicing and erecting dams, if they were afterwards to be limited to 50 feet or less. Other creeks, such as Lowbee, Nelson, Chisholms, or Last Chance, though not so difficult or expensive to work are soon exhausted, nor is the remuneration so great while they last. So that while generally 100 feet, it was thought, should be the extent of the claims, yet there might be isolated cases where smaller claims would be preferable, and a local regulation might then be enforced. In favor of allowing capitalists to purchase claims, it was urged that far from injuring the poor miner, he would be benefited by it; that he would obtain wages upon which he could save enough to enable him to work a claim of his own to advantage; and that where now many rich claims are barely prospected by their owners, the introduction of capital would enable many difficult and expensive ones to be more efficiently mined. Why too, it was asked, should capital be excluded from mining any more than from other transactions? On a division being taken the present regulations were considered as generally efficient.

ARRIVED.

March 13.—str. Emily Harris, A. Court, Victoria.
14.—str. Otter, Mouatt, Victoria.
15.—str. Hope, Millard, Harrison river.
16.—canoe Mary, Lester, Victoria.
18.—str. Flying Dutchman, Moore, Victoria.
18.—str. Moody, Irving, Douglas.
19.—str. Otter, Mouatt, Victoria.
19.—canoe Langley, Groser, Victoria.
19.—canoe William, Huffer, Victoria.

DEPARTED.

March 11.—str. Flying Dutchman, W. Moore, Victoria.
—str. Page, Oberg, Victoria.
13.—str. Emily Harris, Court, Victoria.
15.—str. Gen. Harney, Roeder, Port Townsend.
15.—str. Moody, Irving, Douglas.
15.—str. Otter, Mouatt, Victoria.
Custom's Receipts for the week ending March 15: £230 13s. 11d.

Victoria Advertisements.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore subsisting between LEWIN and SOKOLOSKY, in Cariboo, was dissolved by mutual consent in the month of December last, so far as relates to the said D. Sokolosky.

BRAVERMAN & LEWIN have taken the

STOCK

NOW LYING AT

Antler Creek and Forks of Quesnelle,

and will continue the business under the firm of

Braverman & Lewin.

H. LEWIN,

D. SOKOLOSKY,

New Westminster, March 16, 1862. m20

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

11th March, 1862.

THE Board, appointed to adjudicate upon the Essays called for by Government notice of the 29th October, having decided that none of those received "Set forth in the clearest and most comprehensive manner the capabilities, resources, and advantages of British Columbia as a Colony for settlement, or even in a manner sufficiently accurate and comprehensive to entitle it to be published without revisions and additions," and this Government having in consequence determined to renew the offer previously made, Notice is hereby given to the writers of the said Essays that the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works will return their Essays on application.

By order of the Governor,
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE partnership heretofore subsisting between the undersigned and SOKOLOSKY & LEWIN, in this city, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. H. LEWIN will continue the business, collect all debts due to the late firm, as well as pay all just claims up to this date.

D. SOKOLOSKY,

H. LEWIN.

New Westminster, March 14th, 1862. m20

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,

12th March, 1862.

IN reference to the order for a general Mourning for His Royal Highness the late lamented Prince Consort, His Excellency the Governor hereby gives notice that it is not expected that the public should appear in mourning after Sunday, the 23rd of March instant.

By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Edward H. Kimball, brother to Chas. O. Kimball, deceased, late of the firm of Cook and Kimball, of Lytton, British Columbia, having come forward with the necessary vouchers and power of attorney from the lawful heirs of Chas. O. Kimball, deceased, to settle or dispose of the estate as in his opinion may seem best. It is therefore mutually agreed by the undersigned to continue the business for an indefinite time under the name and style of Cook & Kimball, as heretofore, until further notice shall be given.

MORTIMER COOK,

EDWARD H. KIMBALL.

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CARIBOO! CARIBOO!

JUST RECEIVED, a lot of new Maps of the Gold Regions of British Columbia, with routes, names, and distances between each locality. Price, \$1.50.

S. T. TILLEY.

New Westminster, Feb. 20, 1862. 6/20

Royal Columbian Hospital.

IT having been resolved that a General Hospital should be immediately erected in New Westminster for the reception of invalids from all parts of British Columbia, a subscription list has been opened to obtain funds.

In soliciting the co-operation of the inhabitants of the Towns in the interior, it is very gratifying to be enabled to report that Lillooet has commenced to assist in this important undertaking, and upwards of \$600 has already been collected in that town. A list of the subscribers will appear in a future advertisement.

The following gentlemen have been invited to act on behalf of the Finance Committee:

G. LANDVOIGHT, Esq., Hope.

W. POWERS, Esq., Yale.

M. COOK, Esq., Lytton.

O. HARE, Esq., Douglas.

G. B. WRIGHT, Esq., Lillooet.

A. C. EMMOTT, Esq., do.

—BLACK, Esq., Quesnelle.

We beg those friends resident in New Westminster, who have not as yet contributed, to come forward and help us.

We take this opportunity of publicly thanking the Non-commissioned Officers and Privates of the Royal Engineer Corps, for the handsome addition made to the funds by the proceeds of the Theatrical benefit so generously given by them.

WILLIAM ANDERSON,

JOHN COOPER,

HENRY HOLBROOK,

Finance Committee.

Subscription List.

His Excellency the Governor, \$100 00

Colonel Moody, R. E., 100 00

Lorenco Dallingham, 5 00

J. Ramage, 20 00

E. Brown, 50 00

H. Holbrook, 50 00

W. Miller, 25 00

G. Ramsay, 10 00

T. Reid, 2 50

Russell, Edward

Sharpe, Edward

Witford, Amos T.

Ward, Henry

Westmouth, Robert

Williams, Thomas

G. Hooper, 10 00

Captain Cooper, 15 00

G. Coxon, 50 00

Judge Begbie, 50 00

New Advertisements.

G. Ashwell, 10 00

W. H. McCrae, 10 00

E. B. Holt, 10 00

P. H. Nind, 20 00

H. Hoyt, 10 00

Captain Luard, R. E., 15 00

The Bishop of Columbia, 75 00

William King, 5 00

W. Anderson, 25 00

R. Sullivan, 5 00

C. R. Drew, 15 00

J. O'Rourke, 10 00

Rev. E. White, 10 00

J. Graham, 5 00

J. Powell, 5 00

Rev. C. Knipe, 20 00

W. E. Cormack, 10 00

A. T. Bushby, 100 00

John Robson, 20 00

J. Cooper, 50 00

Rev. J. Sheepshanks, 50 00

E. Picht, 50 00

J. A. R. Homer, 20 00

W. G. Peacock, 20 00

Captain Grant, R. E., 20 00

F. P. Greely, 40 00

J. Donald, 5 00

F. Meyer, 15 00

T. Spence, 25 00

B. F. Moses & Co., 25 00

H. P. P. Crease, 25 00

R. Dickinson, 10 00

C. Lee, 5 00

J. H. Forrester, 50 00

J. A. Webster, 20 00

W. Hitchcock, 50 00

Levi & Sons, 5 00

C. Nelson, 5 00

H. W. W. Linton, 25 00

C. Brew, 5 00

C. J. Farrell, 25 00

W. H. Woodcock, 10 00

W. R. Lewis, 5 00

S. T. Tilley, 2 50

W. Porritt, 25 00

W. T. Scott, 10 00

W. R. Spalding, 20 00

Captain Gosset, R. E., 15 00

E. Hummah, 5 00

T. Woodside, 5 00

J. E. McMillan, 15 00

Captain Parsons, R. E., 25 00

Archdeacon Wright, 5 00

M. Shaw, 5 00

T. McKee, 10 00

A. Harper, 5 00

J. Stratford, 5 00

F. McBride, 5 00

J. French, 5 00

J. Kennedy, 5 00

A. R. Green, 10 00

L. Gerrie, 5 00

G. Frere, 20 00

Sokolosky & Lewin, 15 00

H. Walker, 10 00

T. Harris, 50 00

J. R. Riddle, 10 00

F. H. Bousfield, 25 00

C. A. Bacon, 25 00

A. Strong, 3 00

A. Osborn, 5 00

W. Ross, 10 00

W. Hamly, 20 00

F. G. Richards, 20 00

P. L. Johnson, 5 00

S. W. Herring, 10 00

Captain McLean, 25 00

P. Hicks, 15 00

P. Gamon, 5 00

R. Cameron, 5 00

E. Cafferty, 5 00

W. Johnston, 10 00

T. Bennett, 5 00

J. A. Calhick, 5 00

Dr. Sedall, R. E., 25 00

Lieut. Palmer, R. E., 10 00

D. McKay, 15 00

C. Myers, 2 50

D. McDougal, 2 50

Thos. Farrell, 20 00

E. A. Sharpe, 5 00

T. W. Graham, 5 00

J. W. Trutch, 20 00

G. Williams, 15 00

E. Tynon, 5 00

G. Gibs, 10 00

J. Franklin, 2 50

C. S. Finlaison, 10 00

T. B. Humphreys, 5 00

W. Moore, 5 00

J. Allway, 5 00

Cash, 3 25

P. O'Rourke, 20 00

W. J. Hind, 5 00

J. Robertson, 5 00

W. A. G. Young, 20 00

J. Holmes, 10 00

V. Hall, 5 00

—Louis, 5 00

Sing Lee, 2 50

W. Kirkpatrick, 5 00

C. Hankin, 5 00

J. Brough, 5 00

J. Smeaton, 15 00

McDonald & Co., 45 00

C. Millard, 25 00

W. Wilson, 5 00

J. Nelson, 5 00

F. J. Barnard, 10 00

J. Meddle, 2 00

D. C. Kelley, 5 00

Rev. W. Crickmer, 5 00

Steward of Otter, 2 50

R. Ker, 15 00

Dr. Crain, 10 00

Moody & Co., 5 00

Silas James, 10 00

A. Hardie, 5 00

H. McRoberts, 5 00

Thos. Martin, 20 00

W. S. Brown, 10 00

C. J. Pritchard, 5 00

Armstrong Bros., 40 00

J. Titcomb, 2 50

Proceeds of a benefit given by the Royal Engineer Club, 354 50

N. B. Subscribers names will be added to this list as obtained m18

New Advertisements.

COLUMBIA HOTEL,

—OPPOSITE LYTTON SQUARE,—

COLUMBIA STREET,

New Westminster, B. C.

THE above New Hotel is now open to the inhabitants of New Westminster and the Traveling Public in general. It is fitted up in excellent style, to afford accommodation and comfort.

H. BURR,

Proprietor.

DOUGLAS HOTEL,

BRUCE STREET,

DOUGLAS, B. C.

THE SUBSCRIBER having leased the above eligible premises, would announce to the public that he has refitted and furnished the entire establishment in excellent style. Having removed the Saloon to one side, he has now a splendid

DINING HALL

66 feet in length, and good accommodation for upwards of

ONE HUNDRED GUESTS.

—AN EXCELLENT—

Billiard Saloon

is connected with the House, and all the modern conveniences usually afforded in a

First Class Hotel.

The Saloon is constantly stocked with GENUINE UNADULTERATED LIQUORS. Miners, and travelers generally, will find the accommodation satisfactory, and charges moderate.

Private Rooms for Families.

R. C. LAYTON,

Proprietor.

Douglas, B. C., Feb. 26, 1862. fe27



PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received at this Office up to 12 o'clock, noon, of Monday, thirty-first March next, for the construction, in two Sections, of a

WAGGON ROAD,

18 feet wide, from Lytton, via the Nicola River, to Cook & Kimball's Ferry, over the Thompson River. The Road to follow the line blazed by the Royal Engineers last Autumn, and the work to be completed on or before the 15th July, 1862.

The Sections are as follow:—
1st Section.—From a point between Blocks V. and XX, Town of Lytton, to a point on the line 100 yards from the North bank of the Nicola River, an estimated distance of Ten and a half miles, more or less. This Section will include the construction of the Bridge over the Nicola River.

2d Section.—From the above-mentioned point to a point near the Ferry Road, an estimated distance of Ten and a half miles, more or less.

For each of the Sections of the above work three Tenders are invited, based on the following calculations:—
I.—That payment be made all in cash.
II.—That payment be made half in cash, and half in British Columbia Government Bonds, bearing interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum. One third of the Bonds to be redeemed on the Thirty-first of December, 1863; one-third on the 31st of December, 1864; one-third on the 31st of December, 1865.

III.—That payment be made all in British Columbia Government Bonds, under similar conditions as above.

For the due and proper completion of each Section, security to the amount of Five Hundred Pounds Sterling will be required.

Each Tender must be accompanied by a Bond, (blank form to be obtained on application,) signed by two parties of known

New Advertisements.
THE ELDORADO HOTEL,
LYTTON.
Is kept by CAPT. PETERSON.
AT THE BAR YOU WILL ALWAYS FIND
LIQUORS AND CIGARS
of the best description, and in the RESTAURANT a
bountiful table, supplied with
All the Luxuries of the Season.
The BILLIARD SALOON is furnished with first
class Tables, with marble beds and Peltan's composi-
tion cushions. oc31 tf

BOSTON BAR
HOTEL,
BAKERY AND PROVISION STORE.
THE Subscribers flatter themselves that they will
give entire satisfaction to all who may favor them
with their patronage. A stock of the choicest
Liquors and Cigars
constantly on hand. Also, Bread, Biscuits, Cakes, Pies,
etc. Prices very low.
JOLIEUR & CO.
Boston Bar, B. C., June 25, 1861. je27

A CARD.
WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK, wholesale dealer in
Wines, Liquors, &c., Scott's Wharf, New West-
minster.
No drayage or wharfage on goods purchased
for private trade. fe13-1c

LEASE—Lots suitable for business purposes.
J. A. R. HOMER.

SETH T. TILLEY,
BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER.
COLUMBIA-STREET, NEW WESTMINSTER.
Has on hand, and is receiving by every steamer,
an assortment of
ENGLISH AND AMERICAN NOVELS,
Bound books of Poetry, Fiction, and Standard works,
a large assortment of Bibles, Wesleyan
Hymn Books, and English
Prayer Books.

Also
a large
assortment
of Blank cards,
Visiting cards and
Letter paper of all descriptions.
Note paper of every size and quality.
A great variety of Blank Books, Memoranda-
books, Pass and cargo books and diaries for 1862,
and almost every article in the Book and Stationery line.
The latest Newspapers of the day are received from
England and United States. They can
also be obtained from almost
any part of the world
required.
Arrangements are also made to get papers from Can-
ada and other Eastern provinces by every mail. Any
periodical published in Great Britain or America can
be had by leaving an order at the Book store of
SETH T. TILLEY.
New Westminster, Feb. 1st 1862.

NOTICE.
COPIES OF THE "LAND REGISTRY ACT, 1861,"
for British Columbia, can be obtained on applica-
tion to the Registrar General of Vancouver Island,
Victoria, to the Registry Office, New Westminster, and
to the different Magistrates situated at Hope, Yale,
Douglas, Lillooet, Lytton, Forks of Quesnelle, and Rock
Creek, upon payment of one shilling per copy.
ARTHUR T. BUSHBY,
Registrar General.
New Westminster, B. C., Oct. 1st, 1861. oc10 tf

SAFES! SAFES!
F. TILMAN,
90 Battery-street,
SAN FRANCISCO.

SOLE AGENT for Tilton & McFarland's celebrated
Fire-proof and Burglar Safes. This safe is well
known in the market for its unsurpassed fire-proof qual-
ity, having withstood in California, as well as in the
East, the hottest fires known. We can refer to endless
certificates from parties in our mining towns, where
these safes have been subjected to the most severe tests
of its fire-proof qualities. The safe is secured by our
Combination Lock. This lock is in every respect the
most secure one in use; it requires the key and combina-
tion to open the safe. If the key should be abstracted
from the owner, it would be perfectly useless to the pos-
sessor without his knowledge of the combination, or
mental key, which the owner carries in his head.
To those in want of a reliable safe we offer the above
cheaper than any other in the market.
A large assortment on hand and to arrive.
F. TILMAN.
90 Battery st., San Francisco. ap11

MILK.

THE SUBSCRIBER would inform his customers, and
the public, that he will continue regularly to supply
the city during the winter season with new milk of the
best quality.
S. W. HERRING.
Herring's Ranch, 2nd Jan. 1862. t-c

PLANS OF NEW WESTMINSTER
AND
UP-RIVER TOWNS.

THE undersigned has just received a lot of the above
plans for sale at the low price of 50 cents to \$1 each.
He will also have shortly Plans of the Suburban Lots
around New Westminster.
These Plans can be sent by mail, postage paid, to any
part of British Columbia, Vancouver Island, or Califor-
nia.
Orders from a distance promptly attended to.
S. T. TILLEY.
je12tf

To Whom it May Concern.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have this day
sold all my right, title, and interest in the concern
known as Golding, Decker & Co., Lillooet Lake, to Geo.
Golding.
F. B. DECKER.
Lillooet Lake, November 1st, 1861. ja301m

NEW TIN SHOP.
CHARLES CATO, worker in Tin, Copper, Zinc and
Lead, has commenced business in Mr. Kennedy's
building, on Columbia street, where he solicits a share
of the public patronage. ap25

New Advertisements.
E. T. DODGE & CO.,
PACKERS,
WILL CONTRACT TO PACK
From Lillooet to Beaver Lake,
—OR—
FORKS OF QUESNELLE,
12,000 POUNDS MONTHLY.
Address, E. T. DODGE & CO.,
Port Douglas,
or WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK,
New Westminster, B. C.
Port Douglas, Jan. 30, 1862. ja30

E. T. DODGE & CO.,
PACKERS,
PORT DOUGLAS TO LILLOOET.
PARTIES desirous of contracting for Packing over
the above-named Route to the amount of
SIXTY TONS PER MONTH,
can make arrangements for the same on application to
us at PORT DOUGLAS, or to WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK,
New Westminster.

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New Westminster.

British Columbia
ROYAL MAIL COMPANY'S
STAGE LINE,
BETWEEN
Douglas and Lillooet.
THE STAGES WILL RUN REGULARLY to and
from the above places with light goods and pas-
sengers, and connect with the lower river steamboats at
Douglas. Apply to
T. M. LOOP, Lillooet,
OLIVER HAY, Douglas,
GEO. FRYE, New Westminster,
Or to STEWART, MELDRUM & CO.,
Victoria, V. I.
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BONDED WAREHOUSE.
500 Tons Storage.
THE NEW FIRE-PROOF BRICK WAREHOUSE, in
Lytton Square, New Westminster, has been declar-
ed by the Government to be a Bonded Warehouse on
and after this date.
Merchants and Shippers to British Columbia, who
wish to store merchandise in bond or duty free, are no-
tified that 500 tons can be stored in the New Brick
Warehouse.
Storage, \$1 per ton per month; Wharfage, 25 cents
per ton.
HARRIS & CO.
New Westminster, October 28, 1861. n7 0m

HARDIE'S.
THE ABOVE RESTAURANT is now opened in the
large and commodious Building belonging to Mr.
Philip Hick, on the corner of
Columbia Street and Lytton Square,
NEW WESTMINSTER.
The Proprietor having secured the services of a first-
class FRENCH COOK, is prepared to meet the wants
of the public, and trusts by devoting strict attention to
the business, to merit a share of the public patronage.
MEALS AT ALL HOURS.
An assortment of the best WINES and LIQUORS for
table use, kept constantly at the Bar.
ANDREW HARDIE.
N. B.—A number of Sleeping Apartments have just
been furnished in excellent style on the upper floor,
affording accommodation for Lodgers.
New Westminster, Jan. 1, 1862. ja2 tf

NEW WESTMINSTER
Boarding House,
—BY—
WILLIAM CLARKSON,
On the corner of Mary and Columbia-streets,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.
Board per week, \$7 50
Board and Lodging, per week, \$9 to \$10
Single Meals, 75 cents
Board and Lodging, per day, \$2 50.
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Notice to Ratepayers.
THE BY-LAW levying a further tax of one per cent.
"For the Establishment of the Fire Department"
has become law. All parties interested are therefore
notified that this special tax must be paid to the Col-
lector on or before the 1st day of May, 1862. By order,
VALENTINE HALL,
Town Clerk.
New Westminster, 4th February, 1862. fe6

Dentistry! Dentistry!!
TEETH EXTRACTED,
filled with Gold,
" " Howard's Enamel,
" " Cement,
" " Silver,
Cleaned without destroying the Enamel.
Tooth-ache permanently cured, by
B. F. MOSES,
Chemist and Apothecary,
Columbia street, New Westminster, B. C. n7 tf

Administrator's Notice.
THE Undersigned having been appointed Admini-
strator of the Estate of E. T. BULLEN, hereby
notifies all persons having claims against the said Estate
to present them on or before the 29th day of May next,
or they will be forever barred. Persons indebted will
make payment on or before the 29th day of May.
WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK,
Administrator.
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New Advertisements.
In the Supreme Court of Civil Justice of
British Columbia.
NOTICE.
A COURT OF OYER AND TERMINER and GENE-
RAL GAOL DELIVERY will be held at New
Westminster on Saturday, the 29th day of March, A. D.
1862.
GREVILLE C. MATHEW,
Registrar.
March 8th, 1862.

British Columbia.
GOVERNMENT NOTICE.
COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
5th March, 1862.
WHEREAS it has pleased Her Majesty, the Queen,
to disallow the Proclamation for the more speedy
trial of Criminals, dated the 23d day of April, A. D.
1860, His Excellency the Governor hereby gives notice
that the said Proclamation of the 23d day of April,
1860, is from and after the date hereof disallowed
accordingly.
By His Excellency's Command,
WILLIAM A. G. YOUNG,
Registrar.

COLONIAL HOTEL
—AND—
RESTAURANT,
COLUMBIA STREET,
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.
Private Dining Rooms on reasonable terms.
ap11 F. GRELLEY.

P. SMITH & CO.,
PACKERS,
—OVER THE—
Douglas and Lillooet Route,
Are still Packing and Forwarding Goods to
LILLOOET,
And are prepared to forward
250 TONS PER MONTH,
At Moderate Rates.

All Goods packed in our care will be received and
forwarded without delay.
P. SMITH & CO.,
Packers, Douglas and Lillooet, B. C.
LA HAUTIER & CO.'S
HOTEL
—AND—
BILLIARD SALOON,
Lytton City, B. C.
THIS House is furnished in the best style, and a stock
of excellent LIQUORS and CIGARS kept constantly
on hand. The Billiard Tables are unsurpassed in the
colony. The charges are moderate.
Good Stabling, and Horses constantly on sale at
low prices.
Lytton City, June 25, 1861. je27

PAINTER & CO.,
Practical Printers, and Dealers in
Type, Presses, Printing Materials,
Ink, Paper, Cards, &c.,
510 Clay Street, above Sansome,
San Francisco.
J. B. PAINTER
J. M. PAINTER
T. P. PAINTER
ap18 1y
Offices fitted out with dispatch.

CIGAR AND FRUIT STORE.
EDWARD LAZARUS
DEGS to inform his friends and the public that he has
opened the above store at the old stand, and that
he is constantly in receipt of an assortment of
OREGON FRUITS,
Confections, Cigars, Tobaccos, Pipes,
YANKEE NOTIONS, &c.
Also an assortment of
Family Groceries.
N. B.—Cigars and Fruit can be sold at wholesale at
low rates, having made arrangements to receive the
same direct from first hands.
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CONSTANTLY on hand in the New Westminster
Lumber Yard a large assortment of
Rough and Dressed Lumber,
—ALSO—
DOORS AND WINDOWS OF ALL SIZES.
Bills of Lumber cut on the shortest notice, and
orders from the interior promptly
attended to.
J. A. R. HOMER.
New Westminster, Feb. 12th 1861.

JUST RECEIVED
AT THE
COLONIAL BOOK STORE,
Columbia Street, New Westminster,
500 VOLUMES OF BOOKS, consisting of a splen-
did edition of English Novels, bound. Also,
Chambers' Information for the People,
" History of England, Illustrated, 7 Volumes,
" Cyclopaedia of English Literature,
" Miscellany, Pocket Miscellany and Repository,
And a large number of other bound Books of History,
Biography and Fiction.
—ALSO—
Plans of the Towns of New Westminster, Hope
Douglas and Lytton, and Maps of British Columbia.
—ALSO—
Just received a supply of Church Services and
Prayer Books, direct from England.
S. T. TILLEY.
New Westminster, Sept. 10, 1861. se12

PIONEER SALOON.
MR. J. T. SCOTT has the pleasure of informing
his old friends and the traveling public that he
is still to be found at the old stand, corner of Lytton-
square, where the thirsty are invited to call and try a
sample of his Wines, Ales, and Liquors, which he flat-
ters himself are as good as can be produced in the
colony.

New Advertisements.
New Westminster Dispensary.

B. F. MOSES & CO.,
Chemists and Apothecaries.
Columbia Street, New Westminster.
HAVE this day opened the above Store with an
entire new stock of
Medicines, Chemicals, Perfumery,
FANCY GOODS AND BRUSHES,
Together with an assortment of all articles usually
KEPT IN A
First-Class Retail Drug Store.
Mr. MOSES will give his personal attention to the
Dispensing of Medicines and Compounding of Physi-
cians' Prescriptions, and trusts his large experience in
the business is a sufficient guarantee that all business
entrusted to us will be "characterized by neatness,
accuracy, and competent knowledge." Our prices will be
—EXTREMELY MODERATE.—
New Westminster, June 8, 1861. je13

BALLOU'S EXPRESS
FROM VICTORIA TO CAYOOSH
—AND—
RETURN, WEEKLY.
T. M. LOOP, Messenger.

CONNECTING WITH
BRALY & CO.'S PONY EXPRESS,
—FOR—
Quesnelle River and Cariboo, and Return,
TWICE PER MONTH.
DAN BRALY, Messenger.

THE above Expresses stop at every Mining camp and
public place en route, taking charge of and deliver-
ing Freight of all kinds, Goods, Merchandise,
Treasure, Packages, Letters, etc., attend to collections
and commissions—the only direct Express to all points
in British Columbia.
W. T. BALLOU,
Proprietor.
P. S.—Goods, to insure shipment, must be delivered
to and accepted for by the Victoria Agent, and marked
"quick" if dispatch is required, or "slow" if in no
hurry. Charges according to time. je27

New Boot and Shoe Shop
MARKY STREET, OPPOSITE THE TREASURY,
Boots and Shoes made and repaired.
W. WOODMAN.
New Westminster Feb. 1861. fe 12-1m.

GILMORE & LINTON,
TAILORS,
New Westminster, British Columbia.

THE Subscribers beg leave to announce to the Inhab-
itants of New Westminster, and the upper country, that
they have made arrangements to carry on the business
of Tailoring, in all its branches, on Columbia street,
next to the Printing Office, where they hope, by strict
attention to business, to merit a share of the public
patronage.
Goods constantly received by every steamer.
They have also on hand an excellent assorted stock of
French and English Cloths, Cassimeres, Fancy Doo-
skies, Fancy Vest Patterns of Silk Velvet, Plush, Corded
Silk, Fancy Tweeds, Single-milled Cashmeres, etc.,
which will be made to order, in the most approved and
best style, and at moderate prices for cash.
Repairing and Cleaning done at the shortest notice.
They have on hand a choice selection of custom-made
Clothing, and parties desiring such will do well to give
them a call, as necessary alterations will be made, in
order to procure a good fit, free of charge.
All orders from the upper country will receive prompt
attention.
GILMORE & LINTON.
New Westminster, May 1, 1861. m2

Important to Printers and Publishers!
CONKLE & SONS' UNITED STATES TYPE FOUNDRY.
THE undersigned, Agents for the above well known
Type Foundry, are now prepared to furnish the trade
with any article necessary for a complete News or Job
Office, giving a better article for less money than others
are enabled to do. Our assortment is now very exten-
sive, to which additions are made on the arrival of
every steamer, and our endeavor will be, as heretofore,
to extend every accommodation to the craft.
The reputation of the Foundry which we represent,
and especially the hard metal from which its type is
cast, is sufficient assurance to the trade that any article
we sell is perfect.
Body-type, from Pearl to Pica, in quantities to suit,
at New York Prices. Our assortment of Job and Dis-
play Type is most extensive and beautiful, including at
present some fifteen hundred styles. Also, "Sorts," of
any font of Conner & Sons' cast, always furnished.
Also, materials of every description from a Bodkin to a
Mammoth Press, constantly for sale.
We are also the Agents for A. B. TAYLOR & CO.'S
CYLINDER and WASHINGTON PRESSES, and keep in store
an assortment of all sizes of WASHINGTON HAND PRESSES
together with the new Vibrating Inker.
Also, Geo. P. Gordon's FRANKLIN JOB PRESSES.
Three sizes, viz: one eighth, one quarter, and one half
medium. These Presses are acknowledged by Printers
to be the best in use, and are rapidly gaining favor on
the Pacific Coast.
Also, MAGIC CARD PRESSES, RUGGLES PRESSES, and
NEWBURY'S MOUNTAIN JOHNS.
—WOOD TYPE, a fine assortment, from five to ninety line
Pica.
The undersigned would respectfully solicit a contin-
uance of the patronage of the craft, and would be pleased
to show their stock, and give any information in regard
to the same that may be asked.
WM. FAULKNER & SON,
[Up Stairs.] 526 Sansome St., San Francisco.
Publishers of Newspapers inserting the above
advertisement to the amount of Twenty Dollars, will be
paid for the same in type, providing they purchase five
times the amount in one bill.
N. B.—No publisher will insert it except in strict
conformity with this order, and send a newspaper with
the advertisement marked to our address.

Government Advertisements.

British Columbia.
GOVERNMENT LOAN.
TREASURY, NEW WESTMINSTER,
December 2d, 1861.
1. It being intended (under the Proclamation dated
November 14th, 1861, and styled "The British Colum-
bia Roads Loan Act 1861,") to issue
250 of the 2d class Debentures, on March 1st, 1862,
250 do. do. April 1st, 1862,
500 do. do. May 1st, 1862.
TENDERS ARE INVITED for any number of the above-
mentioned Debentures.
2. Tenders must reach me at this office not later than
the 15th of January, 1862.
3. Tenders are to state the number of Debentures
required, and for which of the three dates above named,
and the sum it is proposed to offer for each Ten Pounds
Debenture.
4. Payment will have to be made at this Treasury
punctually on the dates specified, and, if not in British
Coin, in United States currency, at the Government
rate of a Dollar to Four Shillings.
W. DRISCOLL GOSSET,
Treasurer.
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Government Assay Office,
NEW WESTMINSTER, BRITISH COLUMBIA.
April 4th, 1861.
ASSAYS OF GOLD BULLION are made on the
following terms, and under the following con-
ditions:—
1. A receipt will be given to the Depositor for the
exact gross weight of his deposit.
2. The resulting ingot will be delivered to any party
returning the assayed receipt, whether the Depositor
or any one else, and the party returning the receipt will
be required to cancel it by his signature at the time of
receiving the ingot.
3. Each ingot will be stamped with its number, cor-
responding to its number in the official records, with
its weight, in ounces and decimals of ounces, with
its fineness in thousandths, and its value in dollars and cents;
also with a Government cipher, in a crown encircled by the
words, "BRITISH COLUMBIA GOVERNMENT ASSAY"; thus:
April 4th, 1861.

With each ingot will be given a certificate, signed
by a Government officer, of the weight of the ingot
before melting; its weight after the fineness; the
charge for assaying; and the value in dollars and
cents.
3. For all bars not exceeding 50 ounces in weight,
a charge of seven shillings and six pence (7s. 6d.) ster-
ling will be made, and for every additional 10 ounces or
fraction of same, one shilling and six pence (1s. 6d.).
All clips are retained in the Government Assay office;
but on bars not exceeding 10 ounces in weight, allow-
ance will be made off the assay charge, for the value of
the clips.
N. B.—Bars assayed at this office, or Deut, may be
exchanged for American coin, at the current market
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